(c) The expenditure on salary and wages for the year from 1980-81 to 1987-88 is as given in the following statement:—

Expenditure on salary and wages:

Year	Figure in crores	As % age of total expenditure.
1980-81 . . .	22 28	33.98
1981-82 . . .	30.45	32.41
1982-83 . . .	37.48	32.10
1983-84 . . .	43.65	34.57
1984-85 . . .	51.21	35.41
1985-86 . . .	57.73	31.45
1986-87 . .	67.91	34.09
1987-88 . . .	80.97	37.47

(d) Yes, Sir. Grant given by the Government covers certain research programmes on uses of coal and allied areas.

Irrigation projects of West Bengal

1091. SHRI RAM NARAYAN GOSWAMI: Will the Minister of WATER RESOURCES be pleased to state:

(a) what is the number of irrigation projects of West Bengal lying pending with the Central Government for approval and since when; and

(b) what steps are being taken to expedite the matter in view of the possible escalation of these projects?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF WATER RESOURCES (SHRIMATI KRISHNA SAHI): (a) and (b) Four major projects. Two of these were considered by the Advisory Committee in January, 1988 and found acceptable subject to the State obtaining the environmental clearance. In one case the concurrence of State Finance Department to the latest cost is also required. The comments on the remaining two have been sent to the State Government.

राजस्थान में नलकूपों का लगाया जाना

@1092. **श्री संतोष बागड़ोदिया :** क्या जल संसाधन मंत्री यह बताने की कृपा करेंगे कि :

(क) विश्व बैंक से नलकूप लगाने के लिये गत तीन वर्षों में प्राप्त हुई वित्तीय सहायता में से राजस्थान राज्य को कितनी धनराशि आवंटित की गई है ; और

(ख) उस राज्य में जिलावार कितने नलकूप चालू किये गये है तथा चालू योजना की शेष अवधि के दौरान और कितन नलकूप लगाये जाने का विचार है ?

जल संसाधन मंत्रालय में राज्य मंत्री (श्रीमती कृष्णा साही) : (क) और (ख) नलकूपों की स्थापना के लिये कोई भी विश्व बैंक सहायता प्राप्त परियोजना राजस्थान में कार्यान्वित नहीं की जा रही है ।

Development of indigenous technologies

1093. DR. R. K. PODDAR: Will the PRIME MINISTER be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government are aware of the fact that CSIR Laboratories have developed indigenous technologies in the recent past;

(b) if so, what are the details thereof; and

(c) what action is being taken for their implementation?

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